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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE,
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INDIANAPOLIS CENTER
DIRECTOR DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE,
KANSAS CITY CENTER

SUBJECT: Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding –
Extension of Special Pay for Nuclear Qualified Officers, (DFAS Item I-82)

Attached is DFAS Interim Change 07-00 to Chapter 12 of the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.
This change has an effective date of October 1, 1999.

The purpose of this change is to incorporate extensions of entitlement authority and authorized rate increases for nuclear bonuses and special pay. Note that while authority to increase rates has been approved by legislation, Navy has not exercised that authority.

We have evaluated your comments on the draft proposal of this change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A. The attached final version of the change incorporates your comments where appropriate.

Assignment of an interim change number is your authority to start a procedural modification to facilitate this change. For the Denver Center, use the attached to initiate the formal printed change to the DoDFMR and the interim change message.


Gregory P. Bitz
Director for Finance

Attachment:
As stated

cc: DASD (MPP)(Comp)
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EXTENSION OF SPECIAL PAY FOR NUCLEAR-QUALIFIED OFFICERS

1. Authority to pay bonuses and special pays for nuclear qualified officers has been extended to December 31, 2000. Additionally, the maximum allowable rates of the bonuses and special pay were also increased; however, Navy is not activating these new allowable rates at this time.

2. Replace subparagraph 120101A with the following:

A. Effective October 1, 1999, individuals accepted, on or before December 31, 2000, for officer naval nuclear power training for duty in connection with the supervision, operation, and maintenance of naval nuclear propulsion plants may be entitled to accession bonuses not to exceed a total of \$20,000.

3. Replace subparagraph 120201A with the following:

A. Effective October 1, 1999, nuclear qualified officers with applications for extension on active duty accepted, on or before December 31, 2000, may be entitled to a bonuses not to exceed a total of \$25,000 for each year of the active service agreement.

4. Replace subparagraph 120301A with the following:

A. Effective October 1, 1999, nuclear qualified unrestricted line officers serving on active duty on the last day of a fiscal year, prior to December 31, 2000, may be entitled to an annual bonus not exceed \$22,000. Effective October 1, 1999, nuclear qualified limited duty and warrant officers serving on active duty on the last day of a fiscal year, prior to December 31, 2000, may be entitled to an annual bonus not to exceed \$10,000. Officers, otherwise eligible, but not on active duty on the last day of a nuclear service year (fiscal year) or who are not eligible for a portion of the year, may be paid a bonus on a pro rata basis.

5. Add the following citations to the Bibliography:

120101A	Public Law 106-65, Section 624(b), Oct 5, 1999 Public Law 106-65, Section 613(f), Oct 5, 1999
120201A	Public Law 106-65, Section 624(a), Oct 5, 1999 Public Law 106-65, Section 613(e), Oct 5, 1999
120301A	Public Law 106-65, Section 624(c), Oct 5, 1999 Public Law 106-65, Section 613(g), Oct 5, 1999